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From: Gockel, Catherine
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 11:09 AM
To: Scott Anderson - NOAA Federal
Cc: jeff.fisher@noaa.gov
Subject: RE: FW: Federal Register notice for WA Hatchery GP - concurrence on NLAA

Hi Scott and Jeff,

Any updates on the concurrence letter for the WA hatchery BE? We are submitting a BE for another hatchery in the next week, and need to include the letter from NMFS in the package. We also need it for the hatchery general permit's administrative record.

Thank you,
Catherine

From: Gockel, Catherine
Sent: Thursday, September 15, 2016 11:13 AM
To: 'Scott Anderson - NOAA Federal' <scott.anderson@noaa.gov>
Cc: jeff.fisher@noaa.gov
Subject: FW: FW: Federal Register notice for WA Hatchery GP - concurrence on NLAA

Hi Scott,

Nice to talk with you just now. Here is an email chain that reflects some of the conversations I have had with Jeff Fisher regarding concurrence on the WA hatchery general permit.

I received verbal concurrence on the not likely to adversely affect determination from NOAA, and received Jeff's blessing to move forward to the Federal Register notice to that effect. The FR notice is at <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2016/06/21/2016-14671/reissuance-of-npdes-general-permit-for-discharges-from-federal-aquaculture-facilities-and>

The permit became effective on August 1.

Thanks very much. We put a huge amount of work into the BE, and are looking forward to having that concurrence letter in our records.

Best,
Catherine

From: Jeff Fisher - NOAA Federal [<mailto:jeff.fisher@noaa.gov>]
Sent: Monday, May 23, 2016 12:52 PM
To: Gockel, Catherine <Gockel.Catherine@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: FW: Federal Register notice for WA Hatchery GP - concurrence on NLAA

Yes, OK. Recognize you need to move it forward.

Jeff

On Mon, May 23, 2016 at 11:00 AM, Gockel, Catherine <Gockel.Catherine@epa.gov> wrote:

And we include text about Essential Fish Habitat concurrence in the Federal Register notice.

From: Gockel, Catherine

Sent: Monday, May 23, 2016 9:44 AM

To: 'Celedonia, Mark' <mark_celedonia@fws.gov>; jeff.fisher@noaa.gov

Subject: Federal Register notice for WA Hatchery GP - concurrence on NLAA

Importance: High

Good morning!

I need to submit the signed paperwork for the Federal Register notice for the final WA Hatchery General Permit (WAG130000) tomorrow morning. In my Federal Register notice, I need to include a section on ESA. I am saying the NMFS and USFWS have concurred with EPA's "may affect, not likely to adversely affect" determination. I realize that I have not yet received signed concurrence letters, but I have to move this paperwork forward.

Please give me a call or send me an email ASAP if this is problematic.

Thanks very much,

Catherine Gockel MS, MPA

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